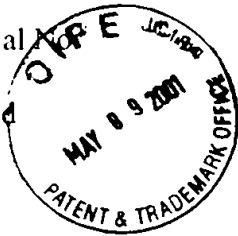


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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND  
PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed on December 4, 2000, kindly  
amend the application as follows:

**In the Claims:**

Add the following new claims: